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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON—F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill, GORDON & GUTHRIE, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES, HENDY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SARGENT & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK—ANDREW WIND, 133, Nassau Street.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND—GORDON & GUTHRIE, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally—BLACK & BLACK, San Francisco.

CHINA—SWANSON, QUEEN & CAMPBELL, Amoy, GILLES & CO., Foochow, HEDDER & CO., Shanghai, LAKE, CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY & CO., Manilla, G. HENDERSON & CO., Macao, L. A. DA GAMA.

Banks.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

INCORPORATED BY NATIONAL DECREE OF 7TH AND 8TH MARCH, 1848.

BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF 25TH JULY, 1854, AND 31ST DECEMBER, 1868.

Recognised by the INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF 30TH APRIL, 1862.

France & Sterling.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, 80,000,000 3,200,000
RESERVE FUND, 20,000,000 800,000

HEAD OFFICE.—14, Rue Bergère, Paris.
LONDON BRANCH.—144, Leadenhall St., E.C.

AGENCIES.—At Nantes, Lyons, Marseilles, Brussels, Bombay, Calcutta, St. Denis (Ile de la Réunion), Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama.
LONDON BANKERS.—Bank of England, Union Bank of London.

HONGKONG AGENCY.

INTEREST ALLOWED

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the monthly minimum balances, and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained at the offices.

CHR. DE GUIGNÉ,
Manager.

Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings, Queen's Road, Hongkong, May 14, 1876.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, 5,000,000 Dollars.
RESERVE FUND, 100,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—E. R. BEILHOS, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—AD. ANDRÉ, Esq.
J. F. CORDES, Esq. S. W. POMEROY, Esq.
H. HOPKINS, Esq. F. D. SASSOON, Esq.
A. MOYER, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.

Hongkong, JAMES GREIG, Esq.
Manager.
Shanghai, EWEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED

ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 6 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

JAMES GREIG,
Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East,
Hongkong, February 17, 1876.

ON SALE.

THE

CHINESE READER'S MANUAL.

A HANDBOOK of Biographical, Historical, Mythological and General Literary Reference.

BY

WILLIAM FREDERICK MATHER.

Price \$3.

Shanghai, KELLY & CO.
Hongkong, "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

I Have this day authorized Mr J. Y. V. SHAW to sign my name per procurator.
A. MAOG. HEATON.
Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr EDWARD WHITALL in our Firm ceased on the 30th April last.
We have authorized Mr HERBERT SMITH to sign our Firm.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876. my15

NOTICE.

THE Underigned have entered into Co-partnership from the First day of January, 1876, in the Business of Shipbrokers at this Port, under the style of MORRIS & RAY.

A. G. MORRIS.
E. C. RAY.
Bank Buildings,
Hongkong, February 3, 1876.

NOTICE.

WE have Established branches of our Firm at Halphong and Hanoi. Mr E. CONSTANTIN is authorized to sign by procurator in Tonquin.

LANDSTEIN & Co.
Hongkong, December 31, 1875.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr J. ALABOR in our Firm ceased on the 31st December last. The Business will be carried on under the style of MEYER & CO.

MEYER, ALABOR & Co.
Hongkong, April 28, 1876. my29

NOTICE.

THE Underigned has been appointed SURVEYOR to LLOYDS REGISTER at this Port.

R. H. CAIRNS.
1, Club Chambers,
Hongkong, April 10, 1876.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

I BEG to notify that I have been appointed ACTING SUPERINTENDENT for the above Company's Station at this Port from this date.

CARL CHR. BOJENSEN.
Hongkong, April 6, 1876. my6

NOTIFICATION.

IT is herewith notified that a Custom House has been Established at HOI-HOW (海口), the Treaty Port of KIUNGCHOW (瓊州), and has been opened for transaction of Business under this day's date.

H. O. BROWN,
Commissioner of Customs.
Kiungchow Customs,
Hoi-how, April 1, 1876. my8

For Sale.

JUST RECEIVED,

Ex French Mail Steamer "MELKONG."

YELLOW CHARTREUSE, (pinks and quarts).
Extra fine SALAD OIL, from (Bessede, Marseilles).

Imperial PRUNES, in Glass Jars.
Sicilian NUTS.
JAMS, JELLIES & FRUITS, assorted.
Fine French SAUSAGES, in 1 lb. tins.
Assorted PASTE for SOUP.
French CANNAS, assorted, Nos. 1 to 5.
French NAVY SOAP.
Marseilles SAUSAGE, Quite Fresh.
LYON SAUSAGE.
MESS PORK in barrels of 100 lbs., or by retail.

CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD PRODUCE.
PRIORI'S BRANDY.
BISQUIT Dubouché BRANDY.
St. Emilion Dinner CLARET.
Haut Sauterne, WHITE WINE.
ANCHOVIES, in oil.
Superior CLARET, bottled by the Underigned, 22 per doz.
TUNNY FISH, in oil.
Superior WHITE VINEGAR.
TAPICCA.
Jellies SCUP, in 1 lb. Tin.
TRUFFLES.
MACARONI & VERMICELLI.
French extra fine TOBACCO.

Just Landed Ex S. S. "A.P.A."
PEPPERMINT, quarts and pints.
BENEDICTINE, quarts and pints.
French OLIVE OIL.
Raspall's extra fine LIQUOR.
French Smoked HAMS.
Solomon BEANS.
VANILLA.
CLARET from Bordeaux.
" " Marseilles.
To Suit Purchasers.
Raspall's GENUINE LIQUOR from Paris.

Fine White BREAD, in loaves and rolls, manufactured from the finest California Flour, and in the Parisian fashion.

F. VINCENT,
French Bakery, No. 2, Peel Street.
Hongkong, May 3, 1876. j62

For Sale.

HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY.

FOR SALE.

THE SOCIETY'S PIANO. May be seen in the CITY HALL. Tenders to be sent to the Underigned before the 15th Instant.

ROBERT G. ALFORD,
Hon. Secretary.
2, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, May 3, 1876. my10

Intimations.

HONGKONG.

Chs. J. GAUPP & Co.,
WATCHMAKERS & JEWELLERS,
38, Queen's Road,
NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,
CHRONOMETERS,
&c., &c., &c.,
Carefully Repaired, Cleaned and accurately rated under guarantee.

All Repairs in the above line done at reasonable rates and with despatch.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876. #

THE MEDICAL HALL,

37, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

ESTABLISHED 1863.
TH. KOFFER, Proprietor.
Hongkong, April 23, 1876. ap28

AH YON,

SHIPS' COMPRADORE AND STEVEDORE,

No. 57, Praya West.

SHIPPING SUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH PROVISIONS & OILMAN'S STORES.
Of the best quality and at the shortest notice.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

F. KRUPP'S CAST STEEL WORKS,

Essen (Germany.)

Sole Agent for China,
F. PEIL,
HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, COLOMBO (Germany.)

COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS.

THE DOCKS being now completed, are capable of DOCKING any size VESSELS frequenting this Port, and executing any REPAIRS required.

A large quantity of SPARS, LUMBER, IRON, COPPER, YELLOW METAL, &c., &c., always kept in Stock at cheap rates.
Length of Dock, 455 Feet.
Breadth do, 92 "
Depth of Water, Springs, 24 "
do, do, Neaps, 21 "

The following Rates will be charged until further notice:—

Recoopering, including Dockage, Shoring, Labor, Felt, Pitch, Tar and Oakum, 80 cents per Sheet.

Painting Iron Steamers, including Dockage, 2 Coats Paint and 1 Coat Tallow, 35 cents per Ton Gross Register.
Painting Iron Steamers, including Dockage, 1 Coat Paint and 1 Coat Tallow, 80 cents per Ton Gross Register.

For further particulars, apply to
W. B. SPRETT & Co.,
9, Praya East.
Hongkong, April 20, 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Underigned, having been for 18 years in this port as Ships' Compradore and Stevedore, has always on hand

FOR SALE.
First Class Tea Ballast, at 55 cents per ton.
Second " " " 50 "
Blue Stone Ballast, " 35 "
Stones Ballast, " 30 "
Coolies for discharging " 6 "
Coolies for discharging General Cargo, " 7 "

Fresh PROVISIONS, OILMAN'S STORES, Paints, Oil, &c., &c. can be had at more moderate rates for Shipmasters than anywhere else at this port. If any Shipmasters require my services, they will please hoist No. 6 Flag on the main mast, or apply to No. 57, Praya West (between the Canton Steamers' Wharves.)

AH YON,
Ships' Compradore and Stevedore.
Hongkong, May 2, 1876. au2

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

DURING my absence from Hongkong the MANAGEMENT of the above Company's Station will be TAKEN OVER by Mr C. C. BOJENSEN, who has been appointed ACTING SUPERINTENDENT.

A. SUENSON,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, April 6, 1876. my6

Intimations.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE REDUCTION OF THE PRICE OF THE "SHANGHAI COURIER AND CHINA GAZETTE,"

IT WILL BE THE CHEAPEST DAILY PAPER IN CHINA and as a large

INCREASE OF CIRCULATION MAY BE CONFIDENTLY ANTICIPATED, THE ADVANTAGE TO ADVERTISERS IS OBVIOUS.

Auctions.

GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Room, Praya, on

FRIDAY,

the 5th May, 1876, at Noon,—
Morton's Salad Oil, Mustard, Vinegar, Jams, Jellies, Tapioca, Table Salt, etc., etc.

Cotton Socks, Stockings, Linen Handkerchiefs, Linen Table Cloths, Napkins, Tooth Brushes, Paint Brushes, Butcher's Knives, Bath Bricks, etc., etc.
An assortment of Gossell's Perfumery, Violet Powder, etc., etc.
2 Cansons.
5 casks Pauillac Claret.
30 cases each 1 dot Port Wine.
100 Steel Mounted Cavalry Carbines.

And,
Sundry Japanese Vases and Lacquered Boxes.

A few Coils of Manila Rope, size 2½ to 5 inch.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.17. The Lot or Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, May 2, 1876. my5

PUBLIC AUCTION.

By Order of the Mortgagee, under Bill of Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell, on

MONDAY,

the 8th May, 1876, at Noon,—

The Whole of the Stock-in-trade, Shop Fittings, Machinery, Carpenter's, Engineer's, and Blacksmith's Tools, Household Furniture, &c., &c., of or belonging to B. R. STANFORD, Shipwright, &c., on the Premises at Spring Gardens.

Further particulars will be shortly announced.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.17. All lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, April 24, 1876. my8

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

The Steamship "THALIS,"
Captain COLES, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 5th Instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously notified.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, May 3, 1876. my6

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Company's Steamship "AGAMEMNON" will be despatched on or about the 6th May.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 4, 1876. my6

FOR COOKTOWN, BRISBANE AND SYDNEY.

(Taking through Cargo for MELBOURNE.)
The Eastern and Australian Mail Steam Co's Steamer "SINGAPORE,"

Captain J. H. FRANK, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 8th May, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, April 28, 1876. my6

Shipping.

Steamers.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI (DIRECT.)
Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for HANKOW, NINGPO & PORTS IN JAPAN.

The Company's Steamship "ANCHISES" will be despatched on or about the 8th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, May 2, 1876. my8

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)

The Steamship "LEONOR,"
Captain ARABANGUAN, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

The Company's Steamship "VOLGA,"
Captain NORDSTROM, which left YOKOHAMA on the 19th Instant, for this Port, will take Cargo hence to Marseilles at reduced rates, if sufficient inducement be given.

For Freight, apply to
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, May 2, 1876.

FOR MANILA.

The Spanish Steamer "SORSOGON,"
Captain LIZARZA, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.
Hongkong, May 2, 1876.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 British Ship "MARGARITE,"
JAMES OWEN, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.
Hongkong, March 27, 1876.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American Bark "JONATHAN CHASE,"
CURTIS, Master, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.
Hongkong, March 27, 1876.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Ship "CHARTER OAK,"
SMITH, Master, will load here and at Whampoa, and will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to
VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.
Hongkong, March 27, 1876.

FOR LONDON.

The A 1 British Ship "CHANNEL QUEEN,"
K. LEUTREY, Master, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despatch as above.

For Freight, apply to
MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, April 6, 1876.

FOR SALE, FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

The British Bark "CORINNE,"
GORMAN, Master, of 896 Tons Register.

Apply to
WIELER & Co.
Hongkong, April 29, 1876.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY.

The A 1 British Bark "MARQUIS OF ARGYLE,"
Captain McKENZIE, will have immediate dispatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ROZARIO & Co.
Hongkong, April 21, 1876.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.

The A 1 British Clippet Bark "UTAGO,"
Apply to
CAPTAIN ON BOARD.

Hongkong, May 1, 1876. my6

Notices to Consignees.

S. S. ESMERALDA, FROM MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per above Steamer are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Underigned, whence delivery may be obtained. Goods remaining in store after the 5th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.
A. MAOG. HEATON,
Agent.
Hongkong, May 2, 1876. my6

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FLEURS CASTLE.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THIS Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed, at their risk, into the Godowns of Mr A. MAOG. HEATON, whence delivery may be obtained.

Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wh

For Sale.

SAYLE & Co. have opened their first delivery of New Goods for the coming Season, to which they invite special attention.

Ladies' and Children's Ready-made Costumes in a variety of Styles.

Morning Wrappers in Embroidered Linen, Printed, Cambric, White Brilliant and Muslin.

French Toilet Jackets.

Richly Embroidered Cambric Skirts.

A Large Assortment of Dress Materials in all the newest designs.

French Millinery of the latest fashions.

Boys' Holland Suits & Pinafores.

Ladies' Underclothing.

Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes.

Also,

A fresh supply of the "Little Wanzel" Sewing Machines.

Agents for Hongkong.

SAYLE & Co.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

Queen's Road & Stanley Street.

FOR SALE.

In One Lot, or in Lots to suit Purchasers.

THE BUILDINGS, MACHINERY and LAND belonging to the **BIEN HOA SUGAR FACTORY** (Cochin China), consisting of—

FIVE SUGAR MILLS, with accessories complete, Sheet-iron Troughs, Copper Boilers, Vacuum Pans, Five Turbines with Independent Engines, Condensers, &c., &c., &c.

Machines for Adjusting and Fitting, Turning Lathes, Boring Machine, &c., &c., &c.

One Gas Machine.

One Steam-Crane.

Spare Materials, Iron and Copper Pipes of various dimensions, &c., &c.

One Tug Boat, 20 H.P., 70 Tons, in good order.

One Steam Launch.

Fifteen large native Cargo Boats, in good order.

The Land and Buildings of the Estate, situated on the River.

The Estate of Lacan Bienhoa Province, comprising an area of about 300 Hectares, mostly cultivated.

Apply to

THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, SAIGON.

April 25, 1876. my25

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

The Steamship

"**NORDEN**,"

Captain JENSEN, will leave

for the above Ports on

WEDNESDAY, the 10th Inst., at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, May 4, 1876. my10

NOTICE.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY.

On and after this Date, the Price of our

ICE will be ONE CENT per Pound.

KYLE & BAIN.

Ice Depot, Duddell Street,

Hongkong, May 4, 1876. my18

NOTICE.

TUDOR COMPANY.

On and after this Date, the Retail Price

of our NATURAL ICE will be ONE

CENT per Pound.

JOHN F. HORGAN,

Agent.

Tudor Ice House,

Hongkong, May 4, 1876. tf.

TENDERS are invited for Refitting

and Docking the British Barque

"**VINDEX**" up to SATURDAY, at

Noon.

For particulars, apply on Board to

JOHN PARKHOUSE,

Master.

Hongkong, May 4, 1876. my6

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor

Owners will be Responsible for any

Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew

of the following Vessels, during their stay

in Hongkong Harbour:—

BETHOVEN, German barque, Captain R.

Haje. — Melchers & Co.

ALMA, German barque, Capt. Lehmeier.

— Melchers & Co.

LIZZIE, British barque, Captain John

Inokay. — Broadbent, Anthony & Co.

TARTAN, German brig, Capt. Kaemena.

— Melchers & Co.

OTAGO, British barque, Capt. Snadden.

IPHIGENIA, German barque, Captain

Maisen. — Wm. Pustau & Co.

MARGARITA, British ship, Capt. Owens.

Vogel, Haydorn & Co.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOW.

(Taking Cargo at through rates for

TAIWANFOO and TAMSUI.)

The Steamship

"**YESHO**,"

Captain PUKHARD, will be

despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 7th Instant, at

10 a.m.

Cargo for Taiwanfoo and Tamsui will be

forwarded from Amoy per S.S. *Hailong*.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, May 4, 1876. my7

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

May 4, China, from Canton.

May 4, Amoy, British steamer, 842,

Dreves, Shanghai April 30, General.

— SIRMSEN & Co.

May 4, Pernambuco, British steamer,

643, W. Hyde, Saigon April 29, Rice.

— MELCHERS & Co.

May 4, Altona, German steamer, 1179,

A. Muller, Bangkok April 27, Rice.

— Wm. PUSTAU & Co.

May 4, Scotia, British barque, 321, W.

Duncan, Newchwang April 16, Beans.

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POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Contract Packet **MEIKONG**,

will be despatched on SATURDAY,

the 13th May, with Mails to and

through the United Kingdom and

Europe, via *Harlesville*, to Saigon,

Singapore, Batavia, Galle, Australia,

New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden,

Seoul, Alexandria, Suez, and

London, &c., &c.

Letters may also be forwarded to INDIA

by this Packet, but can be paid only

as far as Ceylon. The postage to

Ceylon must be prepaid. Such letters

should be marked *Paid to Galle only*;

they will go on from Galle as unpaid.

The following will be the hours of closing

the Mails, &c.:—

Friday, 12th May.—

5 p.m., Money Order Office closes. Post

Office closes except the NIGHT BOX,

which remains open all night.

Saturday, 13th May.—

7 a.m., Post Office opens for sale of

Stamps, Registry of Letters, and

Posting of all correspondence.

10 a.m., Registry of Letters ceases.

11 a.m., Post Office closes except for Late

Letters.

11:10 a.m., Letters (but Letters only)

addressed to the United Kingdom,

Saigon, or Singapore may be posted

on payment of a Late Fee of 18 cents

extra postage, until

11:30 a.m., when the Post Office closes

entirely.

ALFRED LISTER,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office,

Hongkong, April 28, 1876. my13

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet **CITY OF**

PEKING will be despatched on MON-

DAY, the 15th Instant, with Mails for

Japan, San Francisco, and the

United States, which will be closed as

follows:—

3 p.m., Registry of Letters ceases.

2:30 p.m., Post Office closes.

2:30 p.m., Correspondence may be posted

on board the Packet with Late

Fee of 12 cents extra Postage

SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 4th MAY, 1876.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore B., and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Altona	4 k	Muller.	Ger. str.	1179	May 4	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Yokohama	Mails
Bombay	4 k	Smith.	Brit. str.	1327	April 11	P. & O. S. N. Co.	.....	K'loong Dock
Candia	5 h	Thomson	Brit. str.	1342	April 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Hankow	
Cawdor Castle	5 h	Craig	Brit. str.	1419	May 1	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Y'hama & S. F'isco	Mails
City of Peking	5 h	Mauzy	Amer. str.	5079	April 29	P. M. S. S. Co.	Bangkok	
Cyphrenes	5 h	Wood	Brit. str.	1280	April 30	Adamson, Bell & Co.	S'pore and Bombay	Mails
Feronia	4 k	Schultze	Ger. str.	1085	April 28	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....	Laid up
Gwalior	5 k	Babot	Brit. str.	2700	May 3	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	
Kjobenhavn	6 k	Paulsen	Dan. str.	701	May 1	Yuen Fat Hong	Swatow	
Malacca	4 k	Shollard	Brit. str.	1046	May 3	P. & O. S. N. Co.	.....
Norden	4 k	Jensen	Dan. str.	778	May 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....
Norna	2 h	Walker	Brit. str.	606	May 3	Kwok Acheong	.....
Oxfordshire	4 h	Jones	Brit. str.	1228	May 18	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....
Pawtuxet	4 k	Hyde	Amer. str.	280	June 4	Aug. Heard & Co.	.....
Pernambuco	4 c	Hopkins	Brit. str.	933	April 25	Yuen Fat Hong	Bangkok	On Slip
Rajanattianur	4 c	Peake	Brit. str.	964	April 27	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	S'pore and Australia	8th inst.
Singapore	4 c	Lizanza	Span. str.	174	May 2	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Manila	Ab'deen Dock
Sorsogon	4 c	Boon	Dut. str.	1720	April 24	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'pore and Penang	To-morrow
Stad Amsterdam	5 h	Coles	Brit. str.	820	April 25	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Saigon	
Thalos	4 c	Mowrier	Dan. str.	1577	May 3	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Thingvall	5 c	Rice	Brit. str.	2000	April 29	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....
Vasco de Gama	5 c	Watson	Brit. str.	1270	May 2	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Marseilles, &c.	7th inst.
Venice	5 c	Nomdedeu	Fch. str.	950	April 26	Messageries Maritimes	Coast Ports	Repairing
Volga	5 h	Punchard	Brit. str.	559	May 3	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Amoy	To-morrow
Yesso	2 h	.....	Brit. str.	324	June 9	Kwok Acheong	.....
Yottung	4 k	Arechavala	Span. str.	671	May 2	Remedios & Co.	Honolulu & S. F'co	
Zamboanga	4 k	.....	Span. str.	671	May 2	Remedios & Co.	Keelung	
Sailing Vessels								
Alden Basso	3 c	Noyes	Amer. bk.	842	Mar. 10	Rozario & Co.	.....
Alma	3 h	Lehmeyer	Ger. bk.	385	April 26	Melchers & Co.	.....
Anna Dorothea	7 k	Schutt	Ger. bk.	330	April 25	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Annie Fish	3 k	Hilfies	Amer. sh.	1496	April 23	Messageries Maritimes	.....
Beethoven	3 k	Haje	Ger. bk.	340	April 22	Melchers & Co.	.....
Brema	4 c	Timpe	Ger. bk.	380	May 2	Wieler & Co.	.....
British Crown	1 c	Andrew	Brit. bk.	448	April 27	Laminert, Atkinson & Co.	.....
Cap Horn	1 h	Green	Ger. bk.	401	April 22	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Caroline Behn	1 h	Schmidt	Ger. bk.	678	April 24	Siemssen & Co.	.....
Catherine Marden	3 h	Marden	Brit. sch.	287	April 30	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Chas. C. Leary	3 h	Stephen	Amer. bk.	644	April 24	Captain	.....
Cheng Soon	2 h	Cheng Sang	Siam. sch.	200	April 30	Chinese	.....
Chow Sye	2 c	Stehmeyer	Siam. sh.	462	April 20	Siemssen & Co.	.....
Christina A. P.	4 c	Federico	Amer. sch.	175	Jan. 8	Order	.....
Columbia	2 h	Solano	Brit. bk.	344	May 1	Russell & Co.	.....
Comet	6 h	Bray	Amer. sh.	1157	April 23	Tudor Company	.....
Commissary	8 h	Hunter	Brit. sh.	900	April 23	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Corinne	8 h	Gorman	Brit. bk.	395	April 25	Wieler & Co.	.....
Dora	3 k	Zurarraga	Span. bg.	322	May 2	H. Kier	.....
F. H. Jensen	4 c	Rasmussen	Ger. bk.	275	May 2	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Fano	3 k	Norby	Dan. bk.	337	April 21	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Feiga	4 k	Christiansen	Dan. bk.	316	April 23	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Flodden	8 c	Murdoch	Brit. sch.	148	Dec. 18	Frazier & Co.	Australia	Repairing
Franz	4 c	Hildebrandt	Brit. sch.	272	April 30	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Gustav Adolph	4 c	Oehlmann	Brit. bk.	454	April 29	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Hope	3 c	Boulton	Ger. bk.	464	April 24	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Iphigenia	4 c	Matzen	Ger. bk.	464	April 24	Wm. Pustau & Co.	.....
Jerfalcon	2 k	Bentley	Brit. sch.	287	May 1	Captain	Bangkok	Repairing
John Sverdrop	2 h	Petersen	Norw. bg.	182	April 6	Frazier & Co.	San Francisco	
Jonathan Chase	4 c	Curtis	Amer. bk.	693	Mar. 20	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	.....
Jylland	4 c	Laub	Dan. bg.	367	April 29	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Kassa	4 c	Laub	Brit. bk.	325	April 23	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Bangkok	
Kvik	3 k	Lindsay	Norw. bk.	400	April 27	F. Degenaar	.....
Lizzie	4 k	Loragay	Brit. bk.	216	May 2	Broadbear, Anthony & Co.	.....
Lochiel	2 k	Ewen	Brit. sch.	216	May 3	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	Chefoo	
Louise Marie	3 k	Laine	Fch. bk.	553	May 2	Landstein & Co.	.....
Madagascar	3 k	Laine	Ger. bk.	289	May 3	Melchers & Co.	San Francisco	
Margarita	8 h	Speason	Brit. sh.	864	Mar. 17	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	.....
Marie Heydorn II	4 k	Owens	Ger. bk.	286	April 27	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Melbourne & Sydney	
Marquis of Argyll	3 k	Muhlmann	Brit. bk.	500	April 10	Rozario & Co.	.....
Mount Lebanon	2 k	McKean	Brit. bk.	590	April 23	Rozario & Co.	.....
Naworth Castle	8 h	Hall	Brit. bk.	354	April 30	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	.....
Ocean Chief	8 h	Linklater	Brit. bk.	386	April 24	P. M. S. S. Co.	.....
Otago	3 c	Coat	Brit. bk.	436	April 26	Captain	.....
Pallas	2 h	Snr Iden	Ger. bk.	493	April 21	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Tientsin	
Presto	3 c	Lueders	Brit. bk.	383	April 23	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	.....
Prince Arthur	4 k	Laidman	Brit. bk.	296	April 25	P. M. S. S. Co.	.....
Ricca Genova	3 c	Wells	Brit. bk.	626	April 24	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	.....
Scotia	5 k	Cummins	Brit. bk.	321	May 4	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	San Francisco	
Shalimar	3 k	Duncan	Brit. sh.	1598	Mar. 30	Russell & Co.	.....
Swallow	8 c	Cotter	Brit. sh.	1239	April 23	Order	San Francisco	
Sydenham	4 c	Howes	Amer. sh.	1062	Feb. 26	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	.....
Tartar	4 c	Bristow	Brit. sh.	255	April 28	Melchers & Co.	.....
Vindex	4 k	Kaemena	Ger. bg.	290	May 3	Order	.....
Wealthy Pendleton	8 h	Parkhurst	Brit. bk.	809	Mar. 30	Captain	.....
WHAMPOA								
Charter Oak	1 c	Smith	Amer. sh.	963	Mar. 4	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	
Flensborg	4 k	Koedt	Dan. bk.	330	May 1	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
Vancouver	4 k	Shaw	Brit. str.	2923	April 29	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	.....
Victor	4 k	Sorensen	Norw. bg.	247	May 3	Eduard Schellhass & Co.	.....
CANTON								
Amoy	1 c	Drewes	Brit. str.	814	May 4	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Ariadne	6 c	German.	corvette	1400	...	800	April 14	Kühne
Andacious	6 k	British	iron-clad (flag-ship)	6750	14	800	Feb. 27	Colomb
Cyclop	6 c	German	gunboat	360	6	80	April 10	Von Reiche
Egeria	7 c	British	steam sloop	727	4	120	April 25	W. F. Castle
Flamer	4 k	British	aux. naval hospital	...	...	...	.....	D. M. Insp. Gen. Morgan
Frolic	6 h	British	gun vessel	462	4	100	.....	C. E. Buckle
Hartha	7 c	German	corvette	2200	19	400	Mar. 31	Knorr
Juno	6 k	British	corvette	1462	6	400	April 15	J. A. Poland
Kearsarge	7 c	British	corvette	633	6	500	April 20	F. V. McNair
Kestrel	6 h	American	corvette	482	4	100	Mar. 15	C. B. Theobald
Ling Feng	6 h	Chinese	gun vessel	354	2	80	May 2	Cocker
Mesene	6 k	British	gunboat	2591	...	...	.....	Capt. Becker
Mosquito	7 h	British	military hospital	295	4	60	April 13	R. H. Paul
Thistle	6 h	British	gunboat	464	...	...	Feb. 27	Francis Stirling
Victor Emanuel	6 h	British	gun vessel	3087	2	250	.....	Commodore Parish
Vigilant	7 h	British	Commodore's flag ship	650	2	250	Mar. 25	H. C. D. Ryder
At Canton								
Palos	6 h	American	gunboat	306	...	...	April 18	W. R. Bridgeman
Yantic	6 h	American	gunboat	410	3	288	.....	R. S. McCook

FOOCHOW SHIPPING IN PORT.

April 29, 1876.

Chun Sheng	British steamer	for Shanghai
Cuba	British steamer	for Hongkong
Fu Sheng	British gunboat	for Hongkong
Lapwing	Chinese corvette	for Hongkong
Yang Woo	Chinese corvette	for Hongkong
*Yesso	Chinese corvette	for Hongkong

SHANGHAI SHIPPING IN HARBOUR.

April 22, 1876.

Aden	Chinese
Agamemnon	Chinese
*China	German
*Cyphrenes	British
Fire Queen	American

Formosa	British
Fusiayama	American
Fychoy	American
Glenartney	British
*Gwalior	British
Honan	American
Howsang	Chinese
Hupoh	American
Pau-tah	Chinese
Shanghai	Chinese
Shingking	British
*Sindh	American
Szechuen	French
Taku	American
Tunjin	British

* Since left port, or arrived at Hongkong.

MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS.

Charley	British barque
Ellen Browne	British barque
Gesiena	Dutch schooner
Hedwig	Swedish barque
Oceanus	German brig
Rifeman	British barque
Velos	German barque
Wm. Van Name	American barque

MEN-OF-WAR.

Atalante	French iron-clad
Charybdis	British corvette
La Clochetrie	French corvette
Monocacy	American corvette

Mails.



STEAM FOR
Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle,
Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi,
Ancona, Venice, Mediter-
ranean Ports, Southampton
and London;

Also,
Bombay, Madras, Calcutta and
Australia.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
GWAELOR, Captain J. C. BABOT, with
Her Majesty's Mail, Passengers, Specie,
and Cargo, will leave this for the above
places, on SATURDAY, the 6th May, at
Noon.

CARGO will be received on board until
Noon; SPECIE and PARCELS at the
Office until 2 P.M. on the 6th May.
For particulars regarding Freight and
Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES
ARE REQUIRED.

A written declaration of the Contents and
Value of the Packages for the Overland Route
is required by the Egyptian Government, and
must be delivered by the Shippers to the Com-
pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or
with Parcels; and the Company do not hold
themselves responsible for any detention or
prosecution which may happen from incorrect-
ness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note
the terms and conditions of the Company's
Bills of Lading.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co. reserve the
option of forwarding all Goods shipped
by their Steamers for Europe through
Egypt, either by Rail, or by Canal in their
own Steamers, or in vessels employed for
the purpose.

A. McIVER, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, April 22, 1876. my6

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP
COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamer "CITY OF
PEKING" will be despatched for San
Francisco; via Yokohama, on MONDAY,
the 16th May, 1876, at 3 P.M., taking
Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the
United States, and Europe.

Through Passenger Tickets and Bills
of Lading are issued for transportation to
Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San
Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and
South America, and to New York and
Europe via OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

A Steamer of the Mitsui Bussan S. S. Com-
pany will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea
Ports, about same date, and make close
connection at Yokohama.

At New York, Passengers have selection
of various lines of Steamers to England,
France and Germany.

Freight will be received on board until
4 p.m. 14th Proximo. Parcel Packages
will be received at the office until 5 p.m.
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

For further information as to Passage
and Freight, apply to the Agency of the
Company, Praya West.

G. B. EMORY, Acting Agent.
Hongkong, April 15, 1876. my15

Occidental & Oriental Steam-
Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND
PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED
STATES AND EUROPE,

IN CONNECTION WITH THE
CENTRAL

AND
UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING
RAILROAD COMPANIES

AND
ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. "OCEANIC" will be de-
spatched for San Francisco, via Yoko-
hama, on THURSDAY, the 11th June,
at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers
for Japan, the United States and Europe.
Connection is made at Yokohama, with
Steamers from Shanghai.

Freight will be received on Board until
4 p.m. of 8th Instant. Parcel Packages
will be received at the Office until 5 p.m.
same day; all Parcel Packages should be
marked to address in full; value of same
is required.

Return Passage Tickets available for 6
months are issued at a reduction of 30 per
cent. on regular rates.

For further information as to Freight
of Passage, apply to the Agency of the
Company, Praya West.

G. B. EMORY, Acting Agent.
Hongkong, May 1, 1876. jel

DUC DE MONTEBELLO CARTE
BLANCHE CHAMPAGNE.
Quarts, 15 per case (1 dozen.)
Pints, 15 " " " " " "
5 per cent. discount on 25 cases.

Bourbon WHISKEY.
112 per case (1 dozen.)
For Sale by HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, June 25, 1876. H.

Insurances.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against Fire to the extent of
£45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored
therein, at current local rates, subject to a
Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

YANG-TSE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-
TION OF SHANGHAI.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, 300,000 TAELS

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to
all parts of the world at current rates.
This Association will, until further no-
tice, provide out of the earnings, first for
an interest Dividend of 15% to Share-
holders on Capital, and thereafter distrib-
uted among Policy holders, annually, in
cash, ALL the Profits of the Underwriting
Business pro rata to amount of premium
contributed.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 9, 1876.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
Oals in Matched, on Goods on board
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
posals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Agents Hongkong & Canton.
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
China and Japan, and at Singapore,
Batavia and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
granted at the rates of Premium current at
the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.
JAS. B. COUGHTRY,
Secretary.
Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER
AND LONDON.

THE Underigned have been appointed
Agents for the above Company at
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of
His Majesty King George The First,
A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Corporation are
prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—
Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either
here, in London or at the principal Ports
of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at
current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.

Policies issued for sums not exceeding
£5,000 on reasonable terms.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY.
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on
Marine Risks to all parts of the World.
In accordance with the Company's Articles
of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits
are distributed annually to Contributors,
whether Shareholders or not, in proportion
to the net amount of Premium contributed
by each, the remaining third being carried
to Reserve Fund.

OLYPHANT & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, April 17, 1875.

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-
TION OF SHANGHAI.

NOTICE.

AFTER this date, the above Association
will allow a Brokerage of Thirty-
three and One Third per cent. (33 1/3%) on
Local Risks only.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, June 8, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE
COMPANY.

THE Underigned Agents are in receipt
of instructions from the Board of
Directors authorizing them to issue Policies
to the extent of £10,000 on any one fire
class risk, or to the extent of £15,000 on
adjoining risks at current rates.

A Discount of 20% allowed.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

Insurances.

THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INSUR-
ANCE COMPANY, ADELAIDE.

CAPITAL, £500,000.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agents for the above Company in
Hongkong, China and Japan, are prepared
to issue Policies of Marine Insurance,
payable in Australia, London, Calcutta,
Bombay, Mauritius, China and Japan at
current rates.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.
Hongkong, September 6, 1875. jyl

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL
INSURANCE CO.

THE Underigned having been appointed
Agent, in Hongkong, for the above-
named Company, is prepared to grant
Policies against Fire, on Buildings and on
Goods to the extent of £10,000, at the
usual rates, subject to an immediate dis-
count of 20%.

Attention is invited to a considerable
reduction in Premium for Life Insurance in
China.

Life Policies effected during the year
1875, share in the Bonus to be declared on
31st December for the quinquennial period
then ending.

A. MACG. HEATON,
Hongkong, September 27, 1875.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underigned, Agents at Hongkong
for the above Company, are prepared to
grant Policies against FIRE, to the
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or
on Merchandise in the same, at the
usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents for the above
Company, are prepared to grant In-
surances at current rates.

MELOHERS & Co.,
Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

THE Underigned beg respectfully to
inform the Public that they have
Established themselves as
BUTCHERS AND GENERAL
COMPRADORES,

At No. 1, Graham Street,

And are prepared to Supply Fresh and Salt
Provisions and Stores; also, WINES, SER-
vices and ALES of every description.

MATHEW & Co.
Hongkong, March 25, 1876. my6

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all CRE-
DITORS and other Persons having
any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or
against the Estate of JOHN WOTHER-
SPON, late of Bangkok, in the Kingdom
of Siam, who died on the 6th day of July,
1871, and whose Will was duly proved in
the Probate Jurisdiction of the Supreme
Court of Hongkong by WILLIAM HENRY
BREBETON, of 22, Queen's Road, Hong-
kong, Solicitor, to whom Letters of Admin-
istration with the Will annexed were duly
granted by the said Court on the 10th day
of March, 1876, are hereby required to
SEND in writing the PARTICULARS of
their Claims or Demands to the said WILLIAM
HENRY BREBETON, on or before the
1st day of July next; and notice is hereby
also given, that at the expiration of the last
mentioned day the said WILLIAM HENRY
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